

conditions found in Ordering Paragraphs (E), (F), and (H):

(E) Within 30 days of the date of this order, any person desiring to be heard or to protest the Commission's blanket approval of issuances of securities or assumptions of liabilities by Mobile Energy should file a motion to intervene or protest with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426, in accordance with Rules 211 and 214 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 18 CFR 385.211 and 385.214.

(F) Absent a request to be heard within the period set forth in Ordering Paragraph (E) above, Mobile Energy is hereby authorized to issue securities and assume obligations and liabilities as guarantor, indorser, surety or otherwise in respect of any security of another person; provided that such issue or assumption is for some lawful object within the corporate purposes of Mobile Energy, compatible with the public interest, and reasonably necessary or appropriate for such purposes.

(H) The Commission reserves the right to modify this order to require a further showing that neither public nor private interests will be adversely affected by continued Commission approval of Mobile Energy's issuances of securities or assumptions of liabilities. * * *

Notice is hereby given that the deadline for filing motions to intervene or protests, as set forth above, is March 29, 1999.

Copies of the full text of the Order are available from the Commission's Public Reference Branch, 888 First Street, N.E., Washington, D.C. 20426.

David P. Boergers,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket Nos. ER99-28-000, ER99-28-001, ER99-945-000, and EL99-38-000]

Sierra Pacific Power Company; Notice of Initiation of Proceeding and Refund Effective Date

March 1, 1999.

Take notice that on February 26, 1999, the Commission issued an order in the above-indicated dockets initiating a proceeding in Docket No. EL99-38-000 under section 206 of the Federal Power Act.

The refund effective date in Docket No. EL99-38-000 will be 60 days after

publication of this notice in the **Federal Register**.

David P. Boergers,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. CP99-225-000]

Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc.; Notice of Request Under Blanket Authorization

March 1, 1999.

Take notice that on February 23, 1999, Williams Gas Pipelines Central, Inc. (Williams), One Williams Center, Tulsa, Oklahoma 74101 filed in Docket No. CP99-225-000, a request pursuant to Sections 157.205 and 157.212 of the Commission's Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205 and 157.212) for authorization to construct and operate taps, measuring, regulating, and appurtenant facilities for the delivery of gas to Western Resources, Inc.'s (WR) new combustion turbines to be located at the Gordon Evans Power Plant located in Sedgwick County, Kansas, under Williams' blanket certificate authorization issued in Docket No. CP82-479-000, pursuant to Section 7(c) of the Natural Gas Act, all as more fully set forth in the request which is on file with the Commission and open to public inspection. This filing may be viewed on the web at <http://www.ferc.fed.us/online/rims.htm> (call 202-208-222 for assistance).

Williams states that the estimated construction cost of the taps and measuring facilities is approximately \$1,022,116 which will be reimbursed by WR through the subscription of firm transportation service. Williams explains that it has entered into a ten-year firm transportation agreement with WR beginning with a maximum daily transportation quantity of 40,000 MMBtu per day.

Williams states that this change is not prohibited by an existing tariff and that it has sufficient capacity to accomplish the deliveries specified without detriment or disadvantage to its other customers. Williams indicates that it has sent a copy of this request to the Kansas Corporation Commission.

Any person or the Commission's staff may, within 45 days after issuance of the instant notice by the Commission, file with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, 888 First Street, NE, Washington, DC 20426, pursuant to

Rule 214 of the Commission's Procedural Rules (18 CFR 385.214) a motion to intervene or notice of intervention and pursuant to Section 157.205 of the Regulations under the Natural Gas Act (18 CFR 157.205) a protest to the request. If no protest is filed within the time allowed therefor, the proposed activity shall be deemed to be authorized effective the day after the time allowed for filing a protest. If a protest is filed and not withdrawn within 30 days after the time allowed for filing a protest, the instant request shall be treated as an application for authorization pursuant to Section 7 of the Natural Gas Act.

David P. Boergers,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Notice of Reservoir Drawdown and Soliciting Comments, Motions To Intervene, and Protests

March 1, 1999.

Take notice that the following hydroelectric application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection:

a. *Application Type:* Request to drawdown reservoir to facilitate dam repair and rehabilitation.

b. *Project No:* 2291-037.

c. *Date Filed:* February 8, 1999.

d. *Applicant:* Nekoosa Papers Inc.

e. *Name of Project:* Port Edwards Project.

f. *Location:* The project is located on the Wisconsin River in Wood County, Wisconsin. The project does not utilize federal or tribal lands.

g. *Filed Pursuant to:* 18 CFR 4.200.

h. *Applicant Contact:* Mr. Robert W. Gause, Nekoosa Papers Inc. 100 Wisconsin River Drive, Port Edwards, WI 54469-1492, (715) 886-7481.

i. *FERC Contact:* Any questions on this notice should be addressed to Robert J. Fletcher, e-mail address: robert.fletcher@ferc.fed.us, or telephone, 202-219-1206.

j. *Deadline for filing comments and or motions:* April 9, 1999. Please include the project number (p-2291-037) on any comments or motions filed.

k. *Description of Application:* Nekoosa Papers (licensee) plans to start timber crib dam repair and rehabilitation. The drawdown will commence early on June 13, 1999 and